IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS: Feilbogen et al. CONFIRMATION NO.: 7100

APPLICATION NO.: 09/848,931 GROUP NO.: 3692

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TITLE: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR INITIATING AND CLEARING TRADES

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INTERVIEW SUMMARY UNDER MPEP § 713.04, REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION, AND AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

This paper is submitted pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.2 and 1.133 and MPEP § 713.04 in response to the telephonic interview conducted on March 13, 2008, and the communications between Applicants' attorneys and Examiner Nguyen thereafter. Applicants hereby submit the present Amendment and Response together with a Request for Continued Examination. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge all fees include the \$810.00 for this Request for Continued Examination as well as the fee for a two-month extension of time to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-3081. In the event that additional fees are due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees, and any other required fees, to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-3081.

Applicant respectfully requests entry of this paper, in which:

- · Amendment to the Claims begin on page 2; and
- · Remarks begin on page 15.